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**GEMSTONE** 

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- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.
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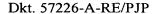
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#### **AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO JULY 28, 2005 OFFICE ACTION**

#### A. Introductory Comments

This Amendment is submitted in response to the July 28, 2005 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the July 28, 2005 Office Action is due on October 28, 2005. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.